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**RESPONSE**

Applicant now responds to the *Ex parte Quayle* Office Action mailed January 6, 2004.

**REMARKS**

In the Office Action, the Examiner stated that claims 1-65 are allowed. (Office Action, pg. 1.) The Examiner also indicated that the application was in condition for allowance, except that the original patent, or an affidavit or declaration as to loss or inaccessibility of the original patent, must be received before the reissue application can be allowed. (*Id.*)

Applicant encloses the original U.S. Patent No. 6,040,586.